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This application is abandoned in view of:				
Applicant's failure to timely file a proper reply to the O (a) A reply was received on (with a Certificate of period for reply (including a total extension of time (b) A proposed reply was received on, but it do	of Mailing or Transmission dated of month(s)) which expired on _	<u> </u>		
(A proper reply under 37 CFR 1.113 to a final reject application in condition for allowance; (2) a timely to Continued Examination (RCE) in compliance with the compli	îled Notice of Appeal (with appeal fee);			
(c) ☐ A reply was received on but it does not constitute a proper reply, or a bona fide attempt at a proper reply, to the non-final rejection. See 37 CFR 1.85(a) and 1.111. (See explanation in box 7 below).				
(d) ☐ No reply has been received.				
2. Applicant's failure to timely pay the required issue fee and publication fee, if applicable, within the statutory period of three months from the mailing date of the Notice of Allowance (PTOL-85).				
(a) The issue fee and publication fee, if applicable, was received on (with a Certificate of Mailing or Transmission dated), which is after the expiration of the statutory period for payment of the issue fee (and publication fee) set in the Notice of Allowance (PTOL-85).				
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(b) No corrected drawings have been received.				
4. The letter of express abandonment which is signed by the applicants.	the attorney or agent of record, the as	signee of the entire interest, or all of		
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